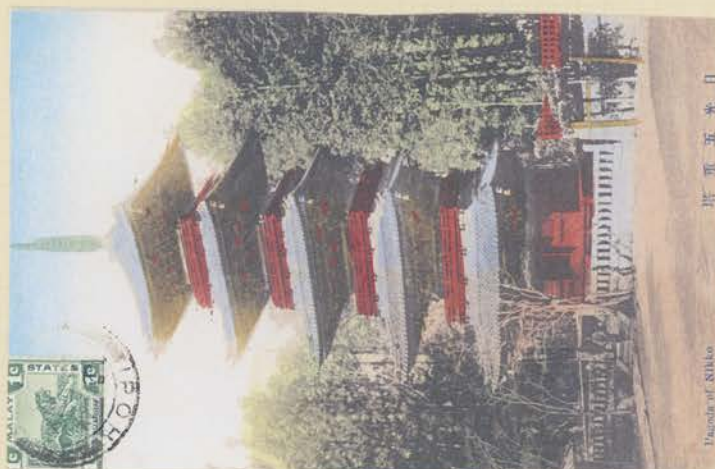


MALAYA - STRAITS SETTLEMENTS - PERAK

Perak via Penang

May 1917

Underpaid(?) picture postcard (*Pagoda of Nikko*) from Ipoh, Perak, Malaya to Paris, France postmarked 19 MY 1917 on a copy of the FMS 1 cent of 1908 on the picture side. The card is endorsed "Printed Matter" and should have, and did, pass at the 1 cent printed papers rate. There is an "ITP" mark in an inverted triangle which had been deleted in red. There is also a Penang transit mark of 19 MY 1917.



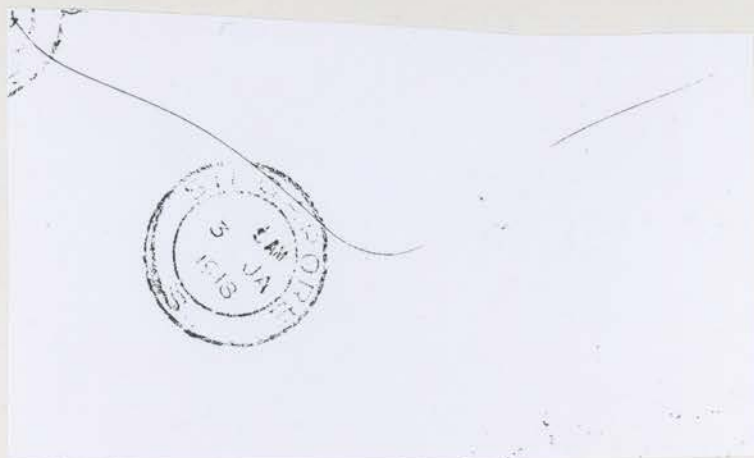
FEDERATED MALAY STATES - STRAITS SETTLEMENTS

Selangor via Singapore

January 1918

Underpaid letter from Port Swettenham, Selangor, FMS to Philadelphia, USA partly paid with a copy of the 4 cents FMS of 1904 postmarked 2 January 1918. The rate had increased from 8 cents to 10 cents on 1 January 1918 and the new deficiency was 6 cents.

There is a Port Swettenham "PTS" (Taxe) mark on the obverse and also Singapore transit marks of 3 January 1918 on both obverse and reverse. On arrival in the US it received a "U.S. Charge/ To Collect/ 5 Cents" mark which indicates that the increase in the rate on 1 January was not taken into account. This charge was paid with a copy of the US 5 cents postage due stamp of 1914.



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Selangor

September/November 1919

Underpaid letter from Kuala Lumpur, Selangor, Malaya to Chicago, USA partly paid by a vertical pair of the 4 cents FMS of 1919 postmarked 26 SE 1919. The rate was 10 cents and the deficiency 2 cents.

There is no Malayan Tax mark but a manuscript "1/10c" indicating 1st weight step and double the deficiency in French centimes. There is a New York "Due/ 2/ Cents" transit mark and a commercial arrival mark of NOV 17.



MALAYA - FEDERATED MALAY STATES

Selangor

July 1921

Underpaid letter from Batang Berjuntai, Selangor, Malaya to Brussels, Belgium partly paid with a copy of the FMS 4 cents of 1919 postmarked 5 July 1921. The rate was 10 cents and the deficiency 6 cents.

There is a Batang Benjuntai "bTb" (taxe) mark in a circle and a "20c" mark which was deleted and replaced by a manuscript "30". There is a Kuala Lumpur transit mark of 5 July 1921 on the reverse. On arrival in Brussels a 30 cent postage due stamp of 1919 was applied and postmarked 9 August 1921.



MALAYA – FEDERATED MALAY STATES

Selangor

October 1921

Underpaid letter from Kajang, Selangor, Malaya to Oyakondan Siruvayal, India partly paid by a copy of the 4 cents of 1919 postmarked 10 OC 1921. The newly raised (as at 1 October) rate was 6 cents and the deficiency 2 cents.

Also on the obverse is a Kajang "T" (Taxe) mark in a triangle, a pencilled "30c" to mark double the deficiency in French centimes and an Indian boxed "Foreign Postage Due/ One Anna" mark.

On the reverse there is a transit mark of Kuala Lumpur of 10 October 1921, Indian transit marks of 22 and 24 October 1921 and an Oyakondan Siruvayal arrival mark of 27 October 1921.



MALAYA - FEDERATED MALAY STATES

Perak

1922?

PPC (Malay woman) from Taiping, Perak, FMS, Malaya to Germany with unclear postmark on the reverse. An attempt to dispatch it at the printed matter rate failed.

There is a Taiping "tTp" Taxe mark in an inverted triangle and a pencil manuscript "30c" to indicate double the deficiency in Gold centimes. There is a boxed German "Porto" and a blue manuscript "10" to indicate the postage due collected of 10 pfenning.



FEDERATED MALAY STATES

Selangor

March/April 1922

Underpaid letter from Kuala Lumpur, Selangor, Malaya to New Brunswick, USA postmarked 9 MR 1922 on a copy of the one cent and 3 copies of the 3 cents of 1918/19 to total 10 cents. The rate was 12 cents and the deficiency 2 cents.

There is a Kuala Lumpur "kTI" (Taxe) mark and a manuscript "30c" to indicate double the deficiency in gold centimes. There is also a binocular "New York - N.Y." "Due 6 Cents" transit mark and a vertical strip of 3 copies of the 2 cents US postage due stamp of 1894.



MALAYA - STRAITS SETTLEMENTS - FMS

Penang/ Perak

July 1922

Internal rate postcard (Dispensary, Penang) of 1918 from Penang, Straits Settlements, initially to Teluk Anson, Perak postmarked 25 JY 1922.

The arrival/transit mark of Teluk Anson is 26 JY 1922. The addressee had left and the card was readdressed to Beaulieu, England via Ipoh, Perak which applied a transit mark of 27 JY 1922. The rate for a postcard to the UK was 4 cents and this created a deficiency of 2 cents (4 cents minus the 2 cents local postcard). The postal authorities in Ipoh taxed the deficiency and applied a manuscript "30c" for a single deficiency in gold centimes.

On arrival in the UK a "1½d/ I.S./ R." postage due mark was applied in London. The arrival mark of Beaulieu, Brockenhurst of 30 AU 1922 is on ½d and 1d postage due stamps.



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MALAYA - FEDERATED MALAY STATES

Selangor

November/December 1922

Underpaid letter from Kuala Lumpur, Selangor, Malaya to Chicago, USA postmarked 27 NO 1922 on a copy of the 6 cents of May 1922 on the reverse. The rate was 12 cents and the deficiency was 6 cents.

There is an obliterated "kT" (Taxe) mark in a triangle on the obverse next to a blue manuscript "50c" to indicate 50 gold centimes. There is no logical reason for the deletion of the tax marking and it is not possible to establish with certainty where the deletion took place. The fact that the letter is endorsed "stamped" might have led the Selangor post office to think that a second 6 cents stamp had been improperly removed. There is no sign that postage due was changed on arrival in the US.



FEDERATED MALAY STATES - STRAITS SETTLEMENTS

Perak to Singapore

February 1923

Improperly paid letter from Parit Buntar, Perak to Singapore, Strait Settlements, Malaya postmarked 10 February 1924. Payment was attempted by a used copy of the FMS 5 cents of 1922 on the reverse which was disallowed and so marked. The rate, and the deficiency, was 5 cents. On the obverse is a circular Parit Buntar "T" (Taxe) mark.

On the reverse there is a Taiping transit mark of 10 February 1923 and a Singapore arrival mark of 12 February 1923. On the obverse there is a large manuscript "10" in blue and a red postage due mark "Singapore/ To pay/ 10 Cents" indicating that postage due of double the deficiency was charged.

